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MEMORANDUM FOR: Hawaii Wing Members

SUBJECT: Donation Request for Hawaii Wing 2008 Summer Encampment

This memorandum is aimed at procuring tax-deductible donations from interested members, non-members and companies for the 2008 Hawaii Wing Civil Air Patrol (CAP) Summer Encampment. Squadron Commanders are encouraged to give this memorandum wide dissemination in and outside of CAP.

Civil Air Patrol is a volunteer organization whose cadet program seeks to educate future leaders from among our youth to assume leadership positions in both the military and private industry. The CAP Summer Encampment is a critical activity that provides our cadets a comprehensive course covering leadership, team-building, drill and ceremonies, and broad exposure to both CAP and the United States Air Force. The encampment is required for cadets to progress through the ranks.

This year's encampment will be held at Kilauea Military Camp (tentative dates are 13-18 June 2008). The total cost will exceed \$10,000 for 44 members - roughly \$227 per person. This amount is quite expensive for our young people – especially when you add airfare for cadets attending from the outer islands.

CAP is a tax-exempt, 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization – we are seeking tax-deductible donations from individuals and companies with the desire to help subsidize the cost for our cadets. If you are able to assist in this worthwhile cause, receipts will be provided to permit you to claim this tax-deductible donation. Check may be paid to "Hawaii Civil Air Patrol – Cadet Encampment Fund."

If we are successful in raising just \$4,000 we could reduce the cost for cadets to a more reasonable figure of \$144 (excluding their airfare) – an amount comparable to previous encampments.

Mahalo for your consideration and any help you can give to our volunteer organization - our outstanding cadets will greatly benefit from your generosity!

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Earl G. Greenia".

Colonel Earl G Greenia, CAP
Commander